

<b>NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES</b>		Docket Number (Optional) <b>HO-P03189US0</b>
In re Application of <b>Simon R. Hall</b>		
Application Number <b>10/540,095-Conf. #6428</b>		Filed <b>December 19, 2003</b>
For <b>METHOD FOR OPTIMISING DIETS FOR COMPANION ANIMALS</b>		
Art Unit <b>1794</b>		Examiner <b>C. D. Sayala</b>

Applicant hereby **appeals** to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner.

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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee shown above is reduced by half, and the resulting fee is: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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☐ applicant /inventor.

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See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96)

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<b>Notice of Appeal</b>	
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